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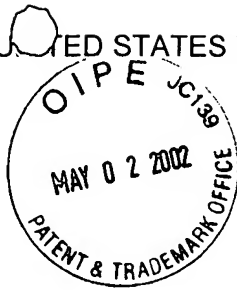
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Pursuant to the duty imposed by 37 CFR 1.56 to disclose information which may be material to the above-identified patent application, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Information Disclosure Statement.

Copies of the documents listed on the enclosed Information Disclosure Statement are not required to be provided since they were cited by or submitted to the Patent Office in Serial No. 08/427,909, filed April 26, 1995, the parent application for the subject application.

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), within three (3) months of the filing date of the above-identified application and/or prior to the mailing date of the first Official Action on the merits, no fee is required in connection with its filing.

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